

# MISSION STATEMENT

To provide quality leisure services through safe, attractive, maintained parks and diversified programs that meet the current and future needs of the community.



# 2005 BROCHURE

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Call 704-216-PLAY for program information Visit our website at <a href="https://www.SalisburyNC.org/PkRec">www.SalisburyNC.org/PkRec</a>

# SPECIAL EVENTS

# N.C. Cyclo-Cross Series Race #1 Coordinator: Kerry Shields

Salisbury Parks and Recreation welcomes the N.C. Cyclo-Cross Series back to Salisbury Community Park for the first race of the Season! What is Cyclo-Cross? Cyclo-Cross is the steeplechase of cycling usually held in a city park around an approximate 1 miles course on grass, trails, with a little bit of pavement. Also, a few man made and natural obstacles are added. An event for all skill levels and a great family event. One of the safest cycling event and fastest growing in the U.S. Races last 30, 45 & 50 minutes long. This is a U.S. Cycling Federation sanctioned event with a 1 day license available at the race. Bring the family, bikes or even a tailgate lunch and come see the world of cyclo-cross racing.

Date: Sunday, 10/23 First race begins at 11 a.m.

Entry fees for race: kids 10 & under free Jr. and adult divisions are \$15 & \$20 (one day license required and can be

obtained at the event)

Location: Salisbury Community Park

935 Hurley School Rd.

# "Threads of Time" Quilt Show Rowan Salisbury Quilting Guild

The Salisbury Civic Center in partnership with the Rowan Salisbury Quilting Guild invites you to be part of the "Threads of Time" Quilt Show. Priceless traditional and contemporary quilts from the Quilting Guild's club members will be judged and will be open for public viewing on Friday & Saturday, October 21 & 22. Vendors & boutiques from the area will also be on hand for the show. Don't miss out on this exciting show to see the remarkable beauty of quilting!

Schedule of Events:

Tuesday, 10/18

Quilt Entries 9 a.m. – 12 noon

Wednesday, 10/19

Quilt judging 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Thursday, 10/20

Reception 5-7 p.m.

Friday, 10/21

Quilt Showing 10 a.m. -6 p.m.

Saturday, 10/22

Quilt Showing 10 a.m. – 5p.m.

Quilt Show Admission

(Friday & Saturday) \$4

# Halloween FunFest 2005

This event is for the whole family. Come enjoy games, food, entertainment and much more as we kick off and event you surely don't want to miss! Join us as we turn Downtown Salisbury into a FunFest for everyone.

Date: Saturday, 10/29

3-6 p.m.

CALL 704-216-PLAY
For additional program info

# "A Night of Silver Bells" Salisbury Civic Center

Come and listen to the sounds of the holiday season as local and area Hand Bell Choirs fill your holiday spirit with joy and peace. This special holiday event is open to the public, so bring your entire family out and enjoy a "Night of Silver Bells".

Theatre style seating is on a first come first serve basis so come early.

\*\*\*AREA CHURCHES & BELL CHOIRS - If your bell choir is interested in playing in our holiday event RSVP by calling Paul Moore at 704-638-5275.

Date: Thursday, 12/8 6-8:00 p.m. Admission: free with canned food donation or make a cash donation to support Rowan Helping Ministries of Salisbury.

# Kwanzaa Celebration at Miller Center

Kwanzaa is a holiday that celebrates family, community and culture. Join us on our journey as we explore ancient and living African traditions. This community celebration will be a refreshing experience for all. Community groups, volunteers, and performers are needed.

Limited vendor spaces are available.

Contact us at 704-638-5297

Date: Tuesday, 12/27 & Wed., 12/28 6-7:30 p.m. no charge

# Tree Lighting Ceremony at City Park Lake

Come out to the City Park Lake for the annual Tree Lighting Ceremony. This is a fun time to join family and friends at the lake for holiday carols and the lighting of the City Park tree. What a wonderful way to kick off the Holiday season!

Date: Friday, 12/2

6-6:30 p.m.

no charge

Classes arranged by center location, date, and youth, or adult/family.

# CITY PARK CENTER 704-638-5295 Jeff Holshouser Talita McCain YOUTH PROGRAMS

# After School Program

City Park Center offers one of the best after school programs in town! If you need a safe and fun place for your children to go after school until you get off of work – give us a call! We will provide assistance with homework, arts & crafts, outdoor activities, field trips, and lots of fun and games. Sign up today and give us a try! Space is limited.

Dates: Mon. - Fri. during school year 8/25-6/8 2:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Cost: \$20 wk./city \$40 wk./non-res.

# Tae Kwon Do Martial Art Classes

Instructor: Joe Girdler

The art is comprised of fighting techniques that use punching kicking, joint locking and throwing, as well as vital point nerve striking techniques. Students learn how to defend against unarmed opponents, multiple attackers and threats from armed attacks. Students will learn foot working as well as striking. These classes are for boys & girls ages 5 & over.

Registration: on going

Must have at least 5 participants to register

by 8/26 for class to begin on 9/7.

Dates: Mon. & Wed., 6-7:30 p.m. Cost: \$40 mo./city (2 classes per wk.)

\$80 mo./non-res.

\$25 mo. /non-res. (1 class per wk.) \$50 mo./non-res. (2 classes per wk.)

# Children's Painting Class

Instructor: Denis Koehn

City Park Center is happy to offer a painting class specifically for children ages 8 to 12 years old! This class will incorporated different types of painting techniques including One Stroke Painting and working with acrylics. All supplies will be provided and each child will complete their very own project. Spaces are limited. Sign up today.

Register: one week in advance Dates: Tuesdays, 9/20 or 10/18

6 – 8:30 p.m.

Cost: \$35 city \$70 non-res. (per class)

#### Cheer America

Coordinator: Rock Hood

Help your little girl become the best cheerleader she can be! Bring her to City Park for Cheer America. This 12 week program will improve her self-esteem, coordination, and motor skills. Girls will learn basic fundamentals and fun routines while promoting physical fitness, artistic expression, competitive spirit, confidence and poise. This program is open to girl's ages 4-14 yrs. old.

Register on Thursday, 9/22

Registration fee: \$6

Classes held: Thurs., 9/22 - 12/2

6-7:30 p.m.

Cost: \$6 class or \$72 session

# Outrageous October Fun Days

City Park is offering the most outrageous fun days of all! There will be great trips and fun activities all day long. Don't miss out on the fun. Register: week in advance Date: 10/31 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Cost: \$15 day/city \$30 day/non-res.

# Schools' Out Fun Days

Kids come to City Park for some exciting School's Out Fun Days. This will be your chance to unwind and enjoy fun games and activities while experiencing exciting trips with friends! The fun is unlimited but spaces are! Grab a friend and sign up today.

Register: 1 week in advance

Dates: Monday, 10/3 & Friday 11/11

7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Cost: \$15 day/city \$30 day/non-res.

Holiday Camp

The best holiday camp in town is at City 4 Park Center. You children will have a great time in a structured and safe environment. Sign up today and don't miss out on the fun! Register by: 12/15 Date: Friday, 12/23 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Cost: \$15 day/city \$30 day/non-res.

New Year's Camp

Bring 2006 in with lots of fun! City Park is hosting the 2005 New Year's Camp! There will be lots of games, arts & crafts, and exciting field trips. Space is limited.

Register by: 12/20

Dates: Wed. - Friday, 12/28-12/30

7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Cost: \$36/ city \$72/ non-res. (all 3 days)

# ADULT PROGRAMS CITY PARK

#### Over 40 Aerobics

Class conducted via videotape. Get your heart pumping and your blood flowing. Come to City Park and enjoy the benefits of this low impact aerobic workout. Socialize while you exercise! The best part is it's FREE. Don't wait, Registration: on going Start now! Sept. - Dec. Dates: Mon. & Thurs. 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. no charge

Cardinal Squares

Contacts: Jack Cauble 704-633-9147

704-782-2616 Paul Walker Modern Western Square Dancing will be held on Tuesday evenings from

7:30 - 9:30 p.m. Intro to square dancing will be held starting in Sept. on Thursdays from 7-9 p.m.

Registration: on going Dates: Tuesdays, Sept. - March

7:30 - 9:30 p.m..

#### Dog Obedience

Instructor: Ann Frye

Dog owners come out to City Park and let Ann Frye of the Salisbury Police Dept. help you teach your dog some obedience. Ann is a member of the Assoc. of Pet Dog Trainer and actively competes in conformation, agility, and water trials with her dogs. Let Ann help you with your dog. Space is limited. Sign up today.

Dates: Wednesdays, 9/28-11/2 6-6:45 p.m. & 7-7:45 p.m. Cost: \$30/city \$60/non-res.

# Scrapbook Workshop

Coordinator: Andrea Shuping Scrapbooking workshop, including instructive "Crop Talk" lessons. Scrapbookers bring their books and supplies to work on. Lunch is provided. Registration must be made at least 4 days prior to workshop dates.

Cost: \$12/ class. Call Andrea to register-704-637-5086.

Dates: Sat., 9/10, 10/8, 11/12, 12/10

10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

# Oil Painting

Instructor: Patricia Miller Learn the techniques from Bob Ross as seen on TV. Patricia Miller, certified Ross instructor will guide you in creating your very own masterpiece. Space is limited and classes fill up fast. Need to bring 16x20 stretched canvas. Call City Park for more info.

Register: one week in advance

Dates: Saturdays, 9/17, 10/8, 10/22, 11/5

& 11/19, 12/3 & 12/17 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Cost: \$25 per class class/city \$50 per class/

# **Knitting Class**

Instructor: Sandy Wagoner Learn knitting basics (includes increase and decrease stitches). All participants will learn purl stitch and how to read a pattern. Participants will make a cotton dishcloth. All materials included in fee.

Register by: 9/30

Class date: Tuesdays, 10/4, 10/11 & 10/18

6:30-8:30 p.m.

Cost: \$40 city \$80 non-res. (all 3 classes)

# **One Stroke Painting**

Instructor: Denise Koehn

Come to City Park and learn "One Stroke" painting as developed by Donna Dewberry and seen on PBS. Learn how to blend, shade, and highlight with one stroke of the brush. You will be amazed at how easy it is, and have a great time completing your very own project. All supplies will be provided. Spaces are limited. Sign up Register: I week in advance today! Dates: Tuesdays, 9/27, 10/4, 11/1, 11/15 & 12/6

10 a.m. - 12 noon

Cost: \$35 class/city \$70 class/non-res.

#### Tennis Lessons

Instructor; Richard Reinholz Call 704-637-2587

Group lessons offered for children and adults. Grab a friend and come learn the sport of tennis.

Registration: on going

Dates: Wed. & Fridays - beginning in September from 5-6 p.m.

Saturdays, 9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

Cost: \$5 city \$10 non-res. per class \$20 city /\$40 non-res. 1 class per wk. per

\$40 city /\$80 non-res. 3 classes per wk. per mo.



CIVIC CENTER 704-638-5275 Paul Moore 704-638-2115 Kenny Roberts



# YOUTH PROGRAMS Crescent Cloggers

Instructor: Ginger Fagan

This Fall step into some new shoes and join the Crescent Cloggers with Ginger Fagan. This popular clogging group is open to all ages and offers clogging classes at any skill level. With over 13 years of teaching and competitive experience, Ginger instructs a variety of fun clog dance routines that will inspire any age level you can imagine. The Crescent Cloggers perform at various festivals and outings throughout the year so it's fun for everyone. Sign up today and enjoy the ultimate clogging experience.

Beginner Classes: open to any age. This class is broken down into rhythm, basic clogging steps and routines so that it may be easily learned in a comfortable atmosphere.

Intermediate Classes: Open to any age. This class refines clogging into more fun steps and dances.

Advanced: This class is geared at a faster pace for the real energetic type.

Open registration

Class dates: Wednesdays, beginning Sept. 7 through December 28 (no class 10/19)

Intermediate: 5:30 p.m. Advanced: 6:00 p.m. Beginner: 6:30 p.m. Cost: \$4 person/city/month \$3 person/city/2 or more persons \$8 person/non-res/month \$6 person/city 2 or more persons

# Decorative Crafts for the Holidays

Instructor: Connie Foss

Creative outlet for kids. Parents can drop off their child or stay and enjoy quality time with the entire family. We have molds to accommodate all ages. Pick and paint your own holiday plaster craft. Paint, brushes, and finishes are included. Register: 1 week before each session Dates: 9/2, 10/28, 11/11, 11/23 & 12/23

5:30-8 p.m.

Cost: \$4 class/city \$8 class/non-res.

# Just for Kicks & Shorin Ryu Karate

Instructor: Fred Payne

Students will be taught and guided through training in the martial art style of Shorin-Ryu Karate. Benefits include self defense, discipline, respect, fitness, mental stability and team work.

Registration: on going

Dates: Tues. & Thurs. beginning 9/13 Time: 5-12 yr. olds 6-7 p.m. 13 & older 7-8 p.m. Cost: 2 nights/\$55 month City \$110

month/non-res.

1 night: \$40 mo./city \$80 mo./non-res.

Youth Tennis Lessons

Instructor: Rob Hales

New to the tennis world? Played before but need to touch up your skills? These lessons are for you. You will learn the basics of tennis which includes keeping score, backhands, forehands, volleys and Register by: 9/7 serves.

Class dates: Wed., beginning 9/14 Ages 6 & under 5-6 p.m. Ages 7 & older 6-7 p.m.

Cost: \$5 city \$10 non-res. (per class)

6th Annual Simon Says Contest

Simon Says "LISTEN UP" and prepare for the 6th Annual "SIMON SAY'S CONTEST". If you've ever played this game it's a barrel of laughs guaranteed! The contest rules are simple: there are 3 different age classes to participate (7-8 yr. olds), (9-10 yr. olds), and (11-12 yr. olds). All participants in each age group will go 3 rounds and try to Out-Listen "SIMON" with a chance to advance into a final round for grand prizes. No matter what, EVERYONE wins a prize. celebrities will be there to help judge the contest. Parents don't be scared because you're invited to come along and you might possibly get involved too! For contest info or registration call 704-638-5275. "Simon Says...Sign up Today Before It's To Late!"

Registration deadline: 10/9

No entries accepted after that date. Contest limited to the first 125 participants.

Cost: \$1 city \$2 non-res.

Date: Monday, 10/10 6-7 p.m.

# **Eastside Community Club** Halloween Carnival

Ghosts, ghouls and goblins OH MY! Bring all your friends and family to a safe evening full of free Halloween fun. We'll have lots of cool ghostly games, activities, face painting, hot dogs, drinks and much more. There will be a Halloween Costume contest so be sure to wear your favorite costume. No pre-registration required. Date: Thursday, 10/27

6-7:30 p.m.

no charge

**Holiday Placemats** 

A neat idea for any age Here's a really neat way to add holiday decorations to your home. Do you have old holiday cards that you've kept for 5, 10 or even 15 years, but they never get taken out of the box? Well now you can use these cards and create your very own holiday placemats for all the family to see! Bring your own cards, however we will have a limited number provided.

Register by: 12/10

Class date: Tues., 12/13 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Cost: \$3 city \$6 non-res.

Parks & Recreation The Benefits are Endless.....

# ADULT/FAMILY PROGRAMS CIVIC CENTER

Salisbury Police Explorer's

Instructor: Kareem Puranda

The Explorer's program is designed to assist ambitious young people who want to become police officers. Your knowledge of law enforcement will be enhanced, and you will be introduced to countless opportunities available in the field.

Register by: 9/2

Dates: 1st & 3rd Thursday of each month

beginning 9/15 from 6-8 p.m. Cost: \$10 registration fee

Puppy Kindergarten

Instructor: Elaine Allman

Elaine is a member of the Association of Pet Dog Trainers and an American Kennel Club Ambassador.

Come and learn how to start your puppy off on the right paw. Begin training now for the desired behaviors that carry on to an adult dog. Lessons include the following: come when called, sit, down, walking on loose leash, housetraining, socialization, biting, chewing, and digging. Puppies must be 12 weeks to 4 months and have appropriate vaccinations.

Register by: 9/2

Dates: Mondays, 9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3,

Time: 5:45 - 6:45 p.m. Cost: \$25 city \$50 non-res.

(all 4 sessions)

Basic Home Manners for Dogs I Instructor: Elaine Allman

Elaine is a member of the Association of Pet Dog Trainers and an American Kennel club Ambassador. This is a six week class that will help you learn how to build a trustworthy relationship with your dog and bring out the dog of your dreams. It's for all dogs 4 months old and up. This class will focus on the basics such as 1)attention 2)sit 3) down 4)stay 5)walking with you on a leash 6)come when called. Dogs must be current on all DHLPP and have a current rabies certificate. Class is limited to first 6 dogs signed up.

Register by: 9/2

Dates: Mondays, 9/12-10/17

9 -10 a.m. or 7-8 p.m.

Cost: \$30 mo./city \$60 mo./non-res.-for

all 6 sessions

Pontoon Boat Ride "High Rock Lake Sites & History"

Instructor: Larry Curlee

Take a Sunday joy ride with use and see the awesome site and history of High Rock Lake in Rowan County. Larry is a resident of over 20 years at High Rock Lake will cruise you in pontoon boat style while captivating your eyes on beautiful historical & celebrity homes as well as giving you and in depth look in to the history and tales of High Rock. This program is limited to 12 participants, so register early before it's too late.

Participants will be transported by city van to and from the Civic Center. Van will leave at 1:45 p.m.

Register by: Wednesday, 9/7

Date: Sunday, 9/11 2-5 p.m.

Cost: \$7 city \$14 non-res.

Fibromyalgia Support Group

If you or someone you know has Fibromyalgia then the Civic Center invites you to join our support group program. The group will meet in Sept. and Nov. to discuss and share new and updated information that surrounds FMS. focus is always POSITIVE while exploring and sharing issues and possible solutions that may help you or others ease the every day struggles of Fibromyalgia. Often we have guest speakers at our meetings to provide alternative and helpful lifestyle changes to those affected. Please call and register if you plan to attend the

Dates: Thursday, 9/29 6-7:00 p.m. Monday, 11/21 6-8:00 p.m. Juice Plus Seminar with testimonials

no charge

**Fall Community** Yard Sale

Its fall again. Time to clean out your closets and garages and get your stuff together to sell at our Fall Yard Sale.

Date: Saturday, 10/1 7 a.m. - 1 p.m.Tables can be rented for \$10 each. Space limited -rent your tables today.

The yard sale will happen come rain or shine, hot or cold.

FREE Women Defensive Tactics Class from 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Women Defensive Tactics

(ages 16 & up)

Instructor: Officer Mike McCart Basic level self defense, information, and techniques on self defense for women. Make yourself less of a target for crimes like robbery, identification theft, burglary, and others.

Register by: Friday, 9/23 no charge Date: Saturday, 10/1 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Cinnamon Scented Ornaments

Are you feeling crafty this holiday season? If you love the aroma of cinnamon, these neat ornaments are for you to dangle of your holiday tree. Why pay for expensive candles & air fresheners when you can make an ornament at half the cost? Bring yourself or the family and get holiday crafty with us. Register by: 12/1

Date: Monday, 12/5 11 a.m. - noon or 6-7 p.m.

Cost: \$4 city \$8 non-res.



# Park Partners 2005



Salisbury Parks & Recreation would like to take this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation to our Park Partners.

Their generous donations and continued support provide funding for brochure printing, event advertising and strong community outreach. Their outstanding dedication to the citizens of Salisbury and surrounding area is greatly valued. Thank you for patronizing our Park Partners.

If you would like to learn more about how to become a Park Partner, please call 704-638-2113.



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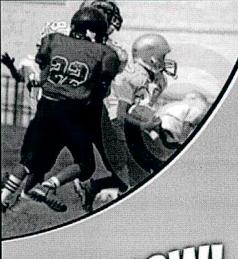
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Holiday Night Out Friday, November 25 Start your holiday shopping in historic Downtown! Shops open late, Festival of Wreaths, Victorian voices and plenty of entertainment for the children!

All the Following Saturday Events During the Holidays Are 10 a.m. to Noon:

Max, Grinch & Santa November 26, 2005

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Leagues

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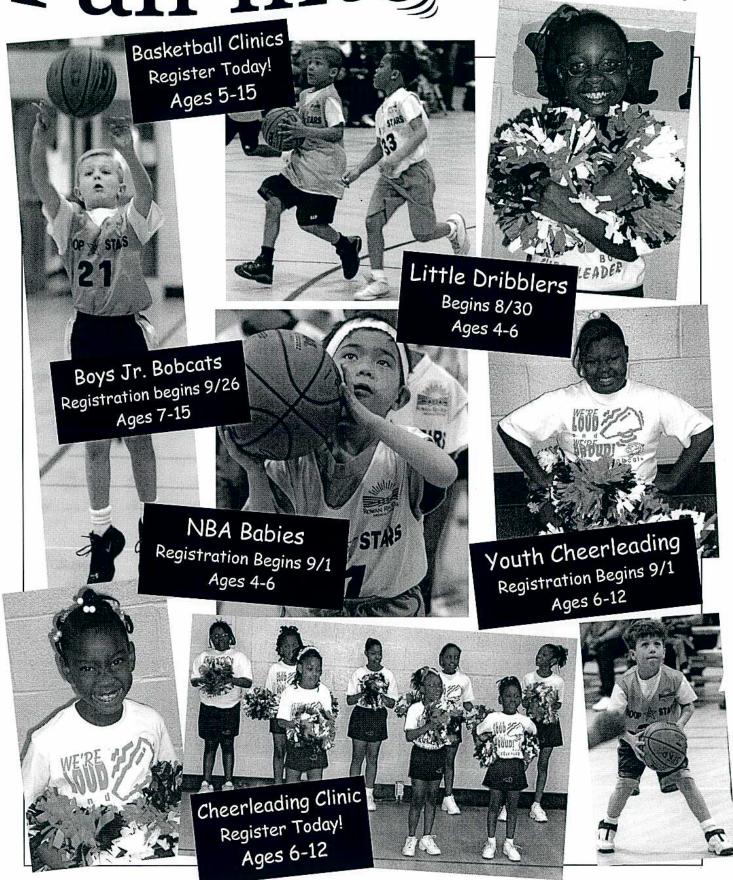


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Great Holiday Gift Ideas!

One Stroke Painting Register Today! 9/27, 10/4, 11/1 & 12/6



Scrapbook Workshop Register Today! 9/10, 10/8, 11/12, 12/10



Bob Ross Oil Painting Register Today! 9/7, 10/8, 10/22, 11/5, 11/19, 12/3 & 12/17

Christmas Scrapbook



Cinnamon Ornaments Register Today! 12/5

> Knitting Class Register Today! 10/4, 10/11 & 10/18







Decorative Crafts for the Holidays! Register Today! 9/2, 10/28, 11/11, 11/23 & 12/23

Actual class projects will vary from photos shown.. Be sure to ask for project information.

Plan today for family gatherings! Birthdays



Receptions

Reunions Booking up FAST! Holiday Call for reservations 704-216-PLAY Parties

Rental Opportunities

Civic Center 315 S. Boundary St.

- Multi-purpose room
- Small meeting room
- kitchen

City Park Center 316 Lake Drive

- Multi-purpose room
- 2 meeting rooms
- kitchen

Miller Center 1402 W. Bank St.

- Multi-purpose room
- 2 meeting rooms
- kitchen

# Carolina Shag Lessons I & II

Instructor: Paul Moore

Looking for something fun and exciting this Fall? If you enjoy dancing but just don't know how then come learn Carolina Shag n' Dance.

Developed on the shores of the Carolinas, shag dancing has grown to be very popular and is enjoyed by many, young and old. It doesn't matter if you have rhythm or two left feet. Don't have a partner - that's okay too. You can still learn anyway. I'll teach and walk you through all the steps in a comfortable and easy going atmosphere that's fun for everyone! So convince yourself or your spouse and add some spice to your life! You can't beat the Register by: Wed. 10/12 price! Dates: Mon. & Tues., 10/17-11/8

Junior beginners (ages 12-18) 5:30-6 p.m.

Beginners I (adult) 6-7 p.m. Beginners II (adult) 7-7:30 p.m. Cost: juniors \$5 city \$10 non-res. Beg. I - \$20 city \$40 non-res. Beg. II - \$10 city \$20 non-res



# FITNESS/ATHLETICS ADULT/FAMILY Civic Center

"Hump-Day" Disc Golf Tournament

This tournament is for all you wild and crazy disc golfers who just want to have some fun to celebrate half a work week gone....or in other words "Hump Day"! We'll play 18 crazy holes of disc golf with challenges on each hole. There are no big prizes but we will have plenty of CPT prizes and a small "shin-dig" cookout afterwards. Register by: Saturday, 10/1 Date: Wednesday, 10/5 6-7:30 p.m. Cost: \$15 city \$30 non-res.

# Salisbury Parks & Recreation, Bicycle Club

Coordinator: Jerry Shelby Cool down and ride with the Salisbury Parks and Recreation Bicycle Club. If you love the enjoyment of cycling then we want you to join our fun rides held each week. Safety is a top priority, so helmets are required to ride. If you have questions call Jerry Shelby at 704-636-8482 or Paul at the Civic Center. We also encourage anyone to attend our bi-monthly club meetings.

Club meeting dates: Thursdays, 10/6 & 12/1 at 6:30 p.m. no charge

# Ride dates - Before 10/27

Thurs. at 6 p.m., Sat. at 9 a.m. & 1:30 p.m., Sun. at 9 a.m. & 1:30 p.m.

After 10/27

Sat., 9 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. Sundays 9 a.m. & 1:30 p.m.

## Fall Racquetball Ladder Challenge

This September gear up for another variation to our Fall racquetball season. Enter the racquetball ladder league and challenge yourself and other participants. The ladder league provides an opportunity for all players to improve their game by challenging old and new rivals. The main objective is to see how far up the ladder you can get. There will be an important meeting before the season starts to give you all the rules and details. The ladder will begin in September and end before the Thanksgiving in November. For more info on the Ladder League please call Paul Moore at the Civic Center.

Season Meeting: Thursday, 9/8, 6:30 p.m. Racquetball ladder ranking and schedules will be available at the meeting. Register by: 9/7

League dates: Mon. - Sat. 9/12-11/19

Cost: \$15 city \$30 non-res.

# Fall Shell Shock Racquetball Tournament

If you are a racquetball enthusiast then sign up for this exciting tournament. This tournament will be singles competition with Open, A, B, C/D. Matches will consist of best 2 0f 3 with tiebreakers at 11 (subject to change). Food. refreshments, balls will be provided. Please register early.

Register by: Wed., 11/9 Dates: Saturday, 11/12 beginning at 9 a.m. Cost: \$15 city \$30 non-res.

# Holiday Blood Drive

Save a LIFE!!! Give blood this holiday season. Make a difference. Be a part of our winning team. Child care will be

To schedule an appointment of for more info call 704-633-3854 or email the Red

EMCM@EHDOLEREDCROSS.ORG

Date: Tuesday, 12/6 7 a.m. - 6 p.m.

# HALL GYM 704-638-5289 Steve Clark & Randall King

# OPEN GYM 1400 W. Bank Street

Come to Hall Gym during our open gym times listed below and just shoot hoops or get into a pick-up game. Work off that excess energy and stress. All ages are welcome. \*Hours of operation may vary depending on programs being offered.

Dates: Sept.-Dec.

Mon.-Thurs.12 - 8 p.m. no charge Fridays - 12-5 p.m. Sat. -10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

# YOUTH ATHELTICS HALL GYM

# Cane Street Stormers

If you're interested in playing street hockey then this is the program for you. If you've played in the past or just beginning you need to come to Hall Gym and play in the Street Stormers program. program is for every skill level. Sign up now. Youth ages 7-13. Register by: 9/2 Dates: Fridays, 9/2-10/21 3:30-4:30 p.m. Cost: \$5 city \$10 non-res.

#### Little Dribblers Basketball

(coed ages 4-6)

Its back! An opportunity for boys and girls to learn the basic skills of basketball: dribbling, shooting, passing, defense and more...a great learning experience and lots of fun! Parents can play too!

Register by: 8/30

Dates: Tues. & Thurs., 8/30 -9/8

5:30-6:30 p.m.

Cost: \$10 city \$20 non-res.

# Punt, Pass & Kick Competition

(coed ages 8-15)

Here is a memorable competition for boys and girls to show how they can kick and throw the football. Enter the local competition with a chance for winners to advance and compete at a Carolina Panther football game at halftime.

Age divisions: 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15. Boys and girls will compete separately.

Register by: 9/18 Date held: Sunday, 9/18 2-4 p.m. at Catawba College Rain date: Sunday, 9/25 Cost: \$1 city \$2 non-res.

# Little Tacklers Football

(coed ages 4-6)

It's back! An opportunity for boys and girls to learn the basic skills of football: running, passing, catching, defense and much more. A great learning experience Register by: 9/13 and lots of fun!

Dates: Tues. & Thurs., 9/13-9/22

5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Cost: \$10 city \$20 non-res. /all 3

sessions

# Youth Basketball Clinic

Time to fine tune your game for the upcoming basketball season. Come out for our Saturday Morning basketball clinic designed for youth ages 5-15 to work on a variety of basketball fundamentals. Clinic is for boys and girls and runs for 6 weeks. Register by: 9/9

Dates: Saturday, 9/10, 17 & 24

10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Cost: \$10 city \$20 non-res./all 3 sessions

# Jr. Bobcats Boys Basketball

(boys age 7-15)

Recreational league that strives building character, self-esteem, friendships and teaches teamwork. Teams will be assigned by a pre-season player's placement draft in ages 9-15 for players advancing to next age group or new incoming players. Sign up early due to limited number of participants per age group.

Registration

City Residents only: 9/26-9/30 Open registration begins 10/3-10/21 Cost: \$30 city \$60 non-res.



# Jr. Bobcats/Jr. Sting Basketball Clinic (boys & girls ages 5-15)

Come learn from some of the best. Clinic is open to all boys and girls ages 5-15 planning to participate in this year's Jr. Bobcats/Jr. Sting basketball program. Clinic will be conducted by the Catawba basketball team so come on out.

Date: Saturday, 11/12 10 a.m. - 12 noon No charge

# Jr. WNBA Girls Basketball

(ages 7-15)

Youth Basketball league that will build character, teach teamwork, fundamental basketball skills and great overall learning experience. Sign up early due to limited number of participants per age group. Volunteer coaches needed.

Register: 12/19-1/13 Dates held: Mon., - Sat., Jan. - April Cost: \$30 city \$60 non-res.

#### Jr. NBA Coed Basketball

(boys & girls ages 5-6)

Recreational league that teaches kids at a young age the fundamentals of basketball as well as building character, self-esteem, friendships and teaches teamwork. Teams will be assigned by Hall Gym staff. Sign up early due to limited number of participants.

Register: 12/19-1/13 Dates: Mon. - Sat., Jan - April Cost: \$30 city \$60 non-res.

# 5h Annual Foster's Prime Steakhouse **Basketball Turkey Shoot**

Here is your chance to win a turkey for your Thanksgiving Dinner. The Turkey Shoot tests your skill and accuracy in free throw competition. Everyone will get 20 free throws with the top 3 in each age group advancing to the prize round. Each participant who makes it to the prize round wins something. There will be 4 age groups: 7-9, 10-12, 13-15 & 16 & up. Register by: 11/19

Date held: Saturday, 11/19 10 a.m. Cost: \$2 city \$4 non-res.

#### E.E. Morton Christmas Tournament

Coordinator: Tom McDaniel Holiday basketball tournament for boys and girls teams ages 10-14. Opportunity for teams to participate in this funfilled holiday tradition. Call Tom McDaniel at 704-637-1261 for more info.

Dates: Tuesday-Friday, 12/27-12/30

Cost: \$175 team

# ADULT /FAMILY ATHLETICS HALL GYM

# Supervised Walking Program

Instructor: Bob Zirt 704-637-3456

The Salisbury Parks & Recreation Dept. & Salisbury Rowan Runners Club invites you to walk the Salisbury Greenway. Our supervised walking program is designed to promote the benefits of walking, exercise and healthy lifestyles. Walk with others and learn more about our Salisbury Greenway trail as well.

Walk currently begins at 5:30 p.m. .

Register: at the walk - Knox Middle School no charge

Dates: Mon., Wed., Friday at 5:30 p.m.

# **Beginners Running Training Program** Salisbury Rowan Runners Club

This program will be a comprehensive instructional approach to provide new runners will all the info needed to begin the process. There will be 8 weekly sessions with classroom training on nutrition, shoes and other related topics, followed by a workout around City Park. Individual coaching will be provided so that each new runner can progress at The program will his/her own pace. culminate with membership in the Salisbury Rowan Runners club and will include entry in a local 5K race. Speakers and coaches will be members of the SRR Register by: 9/12 Club.

Dates: Tues., 9/13-11/2 6:30-7:30 p.m. Cost: \$25 payable to Salisbury Rowan

Runners Club

Location: City Park Center

# Youth Basketball Officials Clinic

Have you ever wanted to become a basketball official for youth ages 7-15? Here's your chance to get the training and earn extra money as part of the game. Participants need to attend all clinic dates to call in the Salisbury Parks & Recreation League.

Register by: 11/6 no charge Dates held: Sundays, 11/6, 11/13 & 11/20 beginning at 5 p.m.

# **NYSCA Coaches Certification**

Program that will feature vital information for coaches on coaching children, first aid, safety, maximizing athletic performance, organizing fun & interesting practices, techniques on teaching specific skills and a variety of other important areas.

Mandatory for all first year coaches in the Jr. NBA program.

Register by: 11/1 no charge

Dates held: Monday - Thursday 11/7 - 11/10 6-7:30 p.m.

# **Tanglewood Lights Show**

It's that time again, the holiday season. Get your family and friends together and take a trip to Tanglewood to see the light show. Salisbury Parks and Recreation will be taking a van so let's all load up and take a trip. Register by: 12/12

Date held: Tues. & Thurs., 12/13 & 12/15

6-9 p.m.

Cost: \$10 city \$20 non-res.



# MILLER CENTER 704-638-5297 D'Marius Rouse **April Hawkins**

# YOUTH PROGRAMS Open Recreation

Miller Center is open for free play. Bring your friends. Enjoy Playstation 2, basketball, checkers, chess, playing cards, computers, music, television, table games, and our playground. no charge Fridays beginning 8/26 6-7 p.m.

# After School Program (ages 5-12)

This program is an action packed recreational and educational program designed to meet the needs of the working parent. The program will focus on various activities and will be both fun filled and educational. Don't miss the Miller Rec. afterschool experience.

Registration: on going

Dates: Mon. - Friday during school year

2:30-6 p.m.

Cost: \$20 wk/city \$40 wk/non-res.

# Study Pals

Do you have a pesty problem in class that you jut can't answer. Well, let us try! Miller Center will have a Study Buddy group every Monday when the school year begins. This group will help you in reading, math, social studies, and science. Come out and let's work it out together.

Registration: on going

Dates: Mondays beginning 8/29

4-5 p.m. no charge

# Little Bonni's Ninjas

Instructor: Bonni Ernst

This activity is designed to teach the fundamentals of Tae Kwon Do through the body, strengthening increasing physical coordination, flexibility, balance and mental acuity. If you are between the ages of 4-12 yrs. old and want to learn martial arts in a team oriented environment, this is for you!

Register by: 8/26

Dates: Mondays beginning 9/5 Cost: \$30 mo./city \$60 mo./non-res.

\$80 registration fee (includes uniform and 1st belt) 25% off tuition to 1st 15people that

register.

# Youth Cheerleading Program

This program is designed for youth 6-12 years old. Come learn the fundamentals of one of the most popular sports out today. Learn new cheers, meet new friends, and cheer your team to victory. IF you got what it takes, "BRING IT ON".

Register: 9/1-10/10

Cost: \$30 city \$60 non-res.

# **NBA Babies**

Calling all 4 and 5 yr. olds. Are you the next Michael Jordan or Tim Duncan? Well now is the time to see, as we introduce our 4 and 5 year old only basketball league. All applicants must be either 4 or 5 years old at the time or registration. This league is designed to teach the fundamentals of basketball in a team atmosphere. The league will be officiated with rules and regulations. Come out and join our team. Volunteer coaches needed. Register: 9/1-10/10 Practices begin in Nov. and games begin in Dec.

Cost: \$30 city \$60 non-res.

# College Tour

(Johnson C. Smith University)

This program is designed to show teens what it is like on a college campus. The program will give the participant the ability to tour a college campus, answer any questions they may have about going to college, and see what it's like to live on a college campus. The participant will also receive valuable info needed to attend a college or university. Register by: 9/12

Date: Saturday, 9/17 12 noon – 4 p.m.

Cost: \$8 city \$16 non-res.

# Cheerleading Clinic Session I

We have spirit yes we do, we have spirit how about you? If the answer is yes, then this is for you. Miller Center will sponsor a clinic for all cheerleaders. The clinic is open to the first 20 cheerleaders that enroll. Learn various forms of cheerleading, while also learning flexibility techniques & keeping in shape. Register by: 9/19 no charge 9 a.m. - 12 noon Date: Saturday, 10/1 Donations will be accepted to support Miller Center cheerleading program.



# Kids School's Out Fun Days ((ages 5-12)

Join us at Miller Center for our schools out fun days. Bring your child to us and we'll make sure they have days loaded with fun. We have new computer games, outdoor play structure, local trips and much more. Register: 1 wk. prior to date

Dates: Monday, 10/3, Monday, 10/31, & Friday, 11/11 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Cost: \$15/day city \$30 day/non-res.

# Thanksgiving Carnival

Come out and enjoy games, face painting, arts & crafts, food and fun. This carnival is for ages 5-12 and you don't want to miss this. Door prizes will be given away.

Date: Tuesday, 11/22 6-8 p.m. Cost: \$2 city \$4 non-res.

# **Holiday Camp**

Parents are you looking for something fun and exciting for your kids to do while they are out of school for the holidays. Our holiday camps are just what you are looking for. These camps will have fun and educational activities that your kids will enjoy. Parents must provide snacks and lunch.

Register by: 12/13

Dates: 12/23

7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Cost: \$12 day/city \$24 day/non-res.

#### New Year's Camp

Dates: 12/28, 12/29, 12/30 Cost: \$36 city \$72 non-res. (all 3 days)

# ADULT/FAMILY PROGRAMS Miller Center

West End Community Garden

The public is welcome to join us Friday mornings 10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Master Gardeners can help with specific questions or problems you are having in your garden. We will work on various aspects of urban gardening which include: composting, raised bed gardening, butterfly gardening, bog garden, small fruits, enabled gardening and traditional vegetable gardening. We also offer workshops and special events. Call Master Gardeners @ 704-633-0571 ext. 211.

Dates: Fridays, during Aug. & Sept. 10 – 11:30 a.m. no charge Brenner Ave next to railroad tracks

# Miller Center Super Senior Social Organization

Coordinators: Samuel Williams & Evelyn Clayborn

Join this lively bunch of seniors as they do everything from arts and crafts to trips out of town. This group puts new meaning to the words having fun all year round. Spend your mornings learning new things and meeting new people.

Dates: every Thursday

10:30 a.m. – 12 noon no charge

#### Red Hat Society

Come out and socialize with these smart, fun loving, and sisterly bunch of women. This distinguished group loves to travel, have local luncheons, and meet for various functions. Don't waste your time sitting around the house; join us for fun and socialization. Members cover their own expense. Call Miller Center for details.

# Silver Arts

Coordinator: James Donaldson
Calling all adults and seniors! Miller
Center will be hosting art classes for adults
of all ages. This class will teach some of
the basic forms of art and painting. This is
a six weeks class and we guarantee you
will enjoy it. The class is limited to the
first 25 sign-ups.

Register by: 9/6

Dates: Thursdays beginning 9/22

9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Cost: \$10 for 6 week session/city \$20 for 6 week session/non-res.

# Spoiled Rotten Bingo Day

This bingo day is not your ordinary bingo. The winner of each bingo games will receive gifts donated by area businesses. These gifts include free massages, food coupons, gift certificated, and more. Come out and let's play bingo and let the staff of Miller Center spoil you!

Date: Thursday, 11/3 10 a.m. – noon

#### Senior Social

Join the Miller Center staff as we celebrate a day of fun, food, music, and prizes to all surrounding seniors in our community. This occasion encourages you to put on your casual clothes, your dancing shoes, and your fancy hats. Join us for a day you won't forget.

Date: Saturday, 11/5 12 noon -3 p.m.

# 3 Easy ways to register...

- 1. Stop by in person at City Park Center, Miller Center, Hall Gym or Civic Center
- Mail payment to: Salisbury Parks & Recreation P.O. Box 4053 Salisbury, NC 28145-4053
- 3. Visit us on line at:
  www.SalisburyNC.org/PkRec

# Don't Let Gas Prices Get Down, PARK IT

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# At Salisbury Parks & Recreation PARK SITES

Cannon Park 600 Park Ave City Park 316 Lake Drive Fairview Hgts Harrell Street Forest Hills 230 Grove Street Greenway Old Mocksville Rd. Jersey City 709 W. Kerr Kelsey Scott 1920 Wilkesboro Long Street 1515 N. Long St. Morlan Park 525 Carolina Blvd. Oakland Hgts 1301 Longview Ave 315 S. Boundary Towne Creek Salisbury Community Park 935 Hurley School Road

# OTHER FACILITIES

Sports Complex 1113 Walnut Street Lincoln Pool 110 Old Concord Maintenance 818 S. Boundary

Visit us on the web at:



# www.SalisburyNC.org/pkrec

Shelter reservations for City Park, Kelsey Scott Park and Salisbury Community Park can be made by calling the Administrative Office no later than 1 week in advance. There is a \$10 reservation fee and additional fees for electricity.

704-638-5291